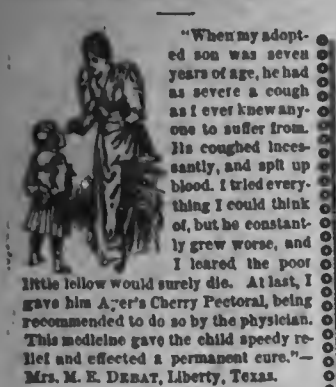


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"When my adopted son was seven years of age, he had a severe cough and I knew that he was suffering from a lung trouble. I tried everything I could think of, but he continued to grow worse, and I feared the poor little fellow would surely die. At last, I gave him Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, being recommended to do so by the physician. This medicine gave the child speedy relief and effected a permanent cure."—Mrs. M. E. Denny, Liberty, Texas.

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FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1895.

Senator Brice gives notice that he will resist the adoption of a free-silver plank by the Ohio Democratic State convention.

The Kentucky Populists believe in a waiting game, and their State convention has been postponed from May 15 to July 4.—C. J.

Hon. Henry C. Dixon, of Henderson, Gov. Brown's brother-in-law, has been appointed Private Secretary of the Governor.

The Colorado G. A. R. had a hot debate for several hours over the proposition to aid indigent ex-Confederate soldiers, and then tabled it.

In a letter to Hon. A. H. Sevier, of Texarkana, Secretary Carlisle says: "I have never made a speech or written a letter in favor of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, or in fact, at any other ratio."

Dan's weekly review of trade says that business begins May in better condition than at any other time since the break-down in May, 1893. The volume is smaller now than it was then, but it is enlarging, instead of shrinking.

Hon. Milt Hager, of Magoffin county, is a candidate for Railroad Commissioner in this district subject to the action of the Democratic convention. He is a loyal Democrat, a man of ability and business experience, and he would fill the office to the satisfaction of the State and the people. He is a whole-souled mountain man and this section would rejoice to see him nominated.

The Wilson tariff has been in operation a little over eight months and has produced \$130,500,000 revenue, and is increasing the production rapidly. The McKinley tariff produced only \$131,000,000 for the last fiscal year of its existence. You remember how much our enemies have howled about the Wilson tariff failing to raise sufficient revenue. When the cold facts appear they always put the same old wide, gaping chasm between truth and the assertions and predictions of our friends, the enemy.

But the Plain People Will Lose.

Should free and unlimited coinage of silver prevail, there is a big chance for the making of millions. Ten thousand ounces of silver can be bought now for \$6,700 and it would cost \$12,925, leaving a neat profit of \$5,225. The speculator and the mine-owners will have a bonanza under free coinage laws, and the desire for profit originated the wild scheme, which has taken so rapidly with unthinking people.—Standard Interior Journal.

FOUR BIG SUCCESSSES

Having the needed merit more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the greatest remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Huckle's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached hereafter will be held to the full value of the right at the price he demands.

A Bed-Rock Principle.

"Equal rights to all and special privileges to none," has long been a shibboleth of the Democratic party; that was used with telling effect upon the Republican system of protection. There are Democrats in Kentucky whose mouths were ever filled with this Democratic war cry when they fought the good fight of tariff reform, but now that they are arrayed with the Western silver miners—the most powerful and arrogant of all claimants for Government favor—this old Democratic slogan is heard no more. "Equal rights to all and special privileges to none" is almost a touchstone that determines a man's Democracy, but it is a sentiment that does not sit very well with that policy which demands that the Government's credit be used to make fifty cents of Western silver worth a good dollar. Even the Republican tariff-robbars never asked the Government to go so far in the bestowment of special favors as to double the price of their product by law and clinch the gift by plugging the faith and credit of the nation.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

PRESTONSBURG.

THE SANDY NEWS: I am sojourning in this town temporarily and as I find things and the people so different from what my imagination pictured them, from reading the blood-curdling stories that emanate from this section of Kentucky and appear in the daily papers from time to time, that I feel it incumbent upon me to endeavor to disabuse the minds of the reading public of the erroneous and unjust opinion that most people have formed of Eastern Kentucky, and especially of Floyd county.

From the tenor of the press one unacquainted with this section of Kentucky would imagine that the people here are semi-civilized and blood thirsty and whose soul delight is in feuds and black scenes of crime and bloodshed. Such is not the case by any means, for this is the best town morally I have ever seen in all my travels. I have not seen a drunken man since I came here and have heard less swearing than I ever heard in any other town that I ever visited.

The people attend strictly to their own business and let their neighbor's alone. They are just as courteous and kind to me as any people I ever met anywhere and endeavor to make my life among them pleasant and happy. The older ones are perfectly contented with their lot in life and have no disposition to change their manners of business or residence.

The citizens of this county are trying to educate their children, and liberally patronize the high school recently established by Professor Byington, late of your city, who by the way is one of the best educators I ever saw and is doing a grand work for Prestonsburg. There are students here from several adjoining counties who are qualifying themselves for the higher avocations in life. This school makes Prestonsburg the Athens of this section of Kentucky and some of these young men and ladies will be heard from in the future, and leave their foot prints in sands of time.

There is considerable excitement here over the discovery of oil, as nearly everybody is inclined to believe that oil in paying quantities has been found on Kenner creek, about seventeen miles from here. Nothing can be gleaned from the operators, as they are still-tongued and wary, as business men usually are. But the opinion generally prevails that the unctious fluid has been found in such quantity as to guarantee the building of a pipe line to Catlettsburg or Ashland. There is strong talk of putting down a test hole in this town pretty soon. The people, many of them, anticipate an influx of prospectors this summer and are making arrangements to accommodate them. The great need of Prestonsburg in the past has been a good hotel run on business principles. This want has been supplied by T. G. Padgett, who recently purchased the Honanza Hotel, and recently married Mrs. Julia (Tarred), an estimable and experienced lady to help him. This hotel will be conducted in such a way as to merit the patronage of the traveling public. Taylor makes a dandy landlord, and Mrs. Padgett knows no ecology from us, as she is known from one end of this valley to the other, which is a sufficient guarantee that the boarders will always have something to eat served in good style, and a clean, fresh and sweet sleep-inducing bed to rest on. It gets better day by day; if it continues to grow much better we shall send for our best girl and our summer duds and stay all the summer. We are glad we came here, glad to say words of kindness for those people who have treated us so kindly, glad to be able from experience and observation to refute and give the lie to nine-tenths of the cock and bull stories that correspondents are paid well to fill the sensational columns of a lying press. "JESSE."

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HOCKFELLER.

School Desks.

The Southern School has this, and more, to say of the school desk which Snyder Bros. are selling direct from the factory, without "middle-men's" profits to be paid.

The "Columbia Automatic" is not only fair to look upon and pleasant to sit upon; it is made of the very best material, put together in the very best manner, and warranted to give the longest and best service. In all respects it represents the best advantage that the manufacturer of school desks has made in the last decade. We have personally inspected its service in the school room and every step of its construction in the Plaquemine Furniture Company's factory, at Plaquemine, Ohio, and we believe that its make-up is the best that mechanical skill can turn out.

They deal fairly, ship promptly, mean what they say and do what they promise. After advertising for bids and examining desks submitted by many companies from many cities, the Committee on Salaries and Supplies of the Louisville School Board awarded the contract to The Plaquemine Company, considering their desk the best ever purchased by that city, after many years of business. This award is a high testimonial, for the Louisville authorities always try to follow Noah Webster's advice—"let the best."

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A Talk on Silver.

I now have in stock some of the very latest and prettiest styles in silver novelties. They are all the go, and at these prices everybody can afford them.

LADIES' BELTS—These are even more popular this season than last. I am selling the solid silver-trimmed belts at \$1.00.

Also, the silver-plated belt buckles and trimmings at 40c. Solid silver shirt waist sets complete for 75c.

Fine quadruple silver-plated waist sets for 30c. First quality silver-plated belt pins at 10c each.

Next stick pins in silver from 10c up.

A few pairs of tortoise-shell slide combs, solid silver trimmings, 35c per pair.

Solid silver belt pins at 10c and 50c.

\$1.25 Hat pin for 75c. Solid silver hat pins at 10c and 50c.

The stylish collar buckles, solid silver, at 75c. Same thing costs you \$1.00 anywhere in the city.

These goods are lenders, and are guaranteed to be exactly as represented. M. F. CONLEY.

Here's the Trouble.

It is the man who has the least to sell who talks most about "hard times." There is a market for all kinds of farm products, and in some lines the prices are better than for several years. The prices of live stock, for instance, are away up. Industry is often too scarce an article.

The improvement of business which began or became noticeable simultaneously with the consummation of the agreement between the Government and the syndicate for the sale, for gold, of United States bonds, has been certain, though slow. The most assuring proof of returning trade activity and prosperity are to be found in the increased energy of the manufacturers, who are not only running their works upon full time, but increasing their plants, and, most gratifying and convincing of all, raising wages.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Electropoise

THE GREATEST CURATIVE AGENT KNOWN.

Opium Habit Cured.

Six weeks' of the Electropoise cured a friend of the opium habit. It also benefited me a great deal. I suffered with kidney trouble.—Rev. W. Bruce, Hopkinsville, Ky.

From the editorial columns of the Western Recorder:—If there is any truth in men and women, it does indeed benefit in hundreds of cases of all kinds of sicknesses. A friend who had suffered long with nervous prostration wrote that it had cured her. A gentleman in the city, who, a year ago, seemed to have only a few days of life left him by consumption, has greatly improved, has been able to go on uninterupted with his business.

Two other personal friends said nothing had ever done so much for their rheumatism. Nothing has ever received so many testimonials from trustworthy persons.

"One night's use of the Electropoise gave me relief from brain congestion and vertigo. I have been a well man ever since"—Rev. George H. Means, Covington, Ky.

Electropoise put out on trial for four months for \$10. Send for particulars.

DUBOIS & WEBB, 509 Fourth Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

Dr. Price's Cream-Washing Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

Commissioner's Sale.

John Hayes vs. Enoch O'Brien, &c.

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One house and lot situated in the town of Hiale, Lawrence county, Kentucky, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone near A. M. Holbrook's dwelling house, a 6 w 25 feet to a stone at the corner of T. D. Johnson's lot; thence a 11 e 254 feet with said Johnson's line to a stone; thence a 80 e 31 feet to the beginning.

TERMS:—Sale will be made up on a credit of 6 and 9 months, the purchaser executing bond with good personal security to be approved by the commissioner, payable to plaintiff; and as further security a lien is retained on the property so sold, until said bond is paid.

A. J. GARNER, M. C. L. C. C.

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The following described land situated in Lawrence county, Ky., and bounded as follows:

On the north by the land of Martha Perkins and heirs on the east by the land of John Kelly, south by the land of John Cooper and west by the lands of James Hicks and John Castle and the south land that L. F. Kelly now lives on.

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Don't play with Nature's greatest gift—health.

Brown's Iron Bitters

It Cures

Dyspepsia, Kidney and Liver Troubles, Constipation, Bad Blood, Malaria, Nervous ailments, Women's complaints.

Get only the genuine—It has crossed the ocean on every steamer, and is sold in every part of the world. Beware of cheap imitations. Fair View and back free.

BROWN CHEMICAL CO. BALTIMORE MD

of Louisville, tax of '94, 7 81

Fleming Hurchett 40 acres of land adjoining James I. Muncy, tax of '94, 6 50

Samuel Baker, one lot in Louisville, tax of '94, 3 55

W. W. Oates, 50 acres of land adjoining H. W. Webb, tax of '94, 1 05

Jordan H. Cox, one lot in Louisville, tax of '94, 1 64

Leamler Cox, 25 acres of land adjoining lands of J. H. Northup, tax of '94, 2 58

J. H. Clayton (for Harry Clayton) 30 acres of land adjoining Walter Clayton, tax of '94, 5 88

Sherman Hanks, 35 acres adjoining lands of Wm. Burgess, tax of '94, 2 58

Uram Dulaney, 50 acres adjoining lands of H. J. McCarty, tax of '94, 1 48

John C. Hammonds' heirs, 68 acres adjoining lands of S. K. Muncy, tax of '94, 2 86

Josh Endicott, four lots in Louisville, tax of '94, 11 40

Kelley Elkins, 9 acres adjoining lands of J. G. Sammons, tax of '94, 2 83

J. E. Elkins, 12 acres adjoining lands of Kelley Elkins, tax of '94, 2 23

J. A. Fortner, 85 acres adjoining lands of J. McCarty, tax of '94, 5 88

A. D. Stratigney's heirs, 15 acres adjoining lands of J. W. Shannon, tax of '94, 9 80

H. Hale, one town lot in Louisville, tax of '94, 10 15

Porter Hensley, one lot adjoining I. W. Dawson, tax of '94, 2 62

Fred Johnson, 25 acres adjoining Walt Carter, tax of '94, 1 21

Lise Little, 10 acres adjoining Green Thompson, tax of '94, 3 55

Rebecca Lewis, one lot in Louisville, tax of '94, 4 77

Mrs. M. J. Mathers, 220 acres adjoining Jas. McIntire, tax of '94, 24 41

A. H. McClure, 275 acres adjoining J. P. McClure, tax of '94, 23 88

J. H. Peters, 175 acres adjoining Old Williams, tax of '94, 36 00

50 CENTS ISN'T MUCH.

That is one "5

BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1895.



In the Vernacular.
The boy remained on the burning
deck,
And an heroic expression wore
his
face, but the rest of crew took a very
swift swim,
And left him alone with his
glory.
—Detroit Tribune.

Clover Leaf flour \$3.50 per barrel
at Vaughan's.

Best green-gage plum for the per
can at Vaughan's.

Best California peaches for the
per can at Vaughan's.

Jeff Justice and family, of Myr-
tie, are visiting in Louisville.

2 pound cans best marrowfat peas
for 5c per can at Vaughan's.

J. W. Jones is at Catlett's-bure at
the bedside of his sick mother.

Holmes Thomas has a new ide-
ology and is ready learning to ride.

The wife of Doc. Nichols died at
her home near Elmore a few days
ago.

Miss Martha Roberts is visiting
her sister, Mrs. D. P. Holt, at May-
ville.

Mr. H. A. McKee's oldest son ar-
rived here last week to visit his
parents.

A pension has been issued to
Owen O'Bryan, of Charley, this
county.

Capt. Fred McHenry has gone to
Guyana river to take charge of a
sawing boat.

John Abbott has returned from
West Virginia. His case was con-
tinued and he gave bond.

John Johnson has returned from
Frankfort. The Board of Equal-
ization adjourned last week.

E. R. Diamond has returned from
Louisville, where he has been at-
tending a medical college.

Now is the time to buy goods
cheap. A. J. Lear & Co. are clos-
ing out their entire stock of goods
at wholesale prices.

Mrs. Dr. Wood and children, of
Buffalo, N. Y., arrived here Tues-
day evening for a visit to her par-
ents, Col. and Mrs. Northrup.

STRAVED—away from home a red
speckled cow, short legs and thick
milk. A liberal reward offered to
the finder who will return her to
Mrs. Hurett.

NOTICE:—The Justice's New
Order Book, Docket and Execution
Books are now at my office, ready
for disposal to the several Magis-
trates.
ROBT. DIXON.

The Vinson House, conducted by
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Vinson, is doing
a good business, and the patronage
is constantly increasing. They ac-
commodate both transient and regu-
lar custom.

Our streets and alleys need a
spring cleaning. It is not neces-
sary to take up the carpets or hun-
dry the curtains, but garbage
should be removed, mud holes
filled and gutters cleaned.

Capt. J. D. Flunkin left yester-
day for Birmingham, Ky. He will
be engaged there on government
work in about the same capacity as
he has served at this place for a
long time.

Dr. G. N. Waldeck has located at
Central City, W. Va., where he has
flattering prospects. Being a gradu-
ate from one of the best schools in
the country, and having the neces-
sary elements in his make-up, he
is sure to succeed.

At the regular meeting of the
City Council last Tuesday night,
Marshal Vinson notified that his
able body to have another man
for his place by next meeting
night. We presume there will be
plenty of candidates.

There is much complaint amongst
the farmers about the ravages of
cutworms. In lands of favorable
condition the destruction is said to
be extensive. Beyond this feature,
the prospects for crops are the best
ever seen here at this season.

The government thermometer at
this place registers a maximum
temperature of 98 degrees in the
shade last Sunday. Other ther-
mometers in town showed 100.
And some of the preceding days
were almost as hot. This is
thought to be the hottest weather
ever known here so early in the
season.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.
Do not buy school desks until
you get prices from the United
States School Furniture Co., of Sid-
ney, O. I will be in Lawrence Co.
a few days and supply districts at
factory prices. Say what you
would have to pay to local agents
and commission. Address me at
Lawrence Co., O.
Z. D. KINZIE,
Clerk U. S. S. F. Co.

Two Levering coffee found at
Vaughans.

Clover Leaf flour \$3.50 per bar-
rel at Vaughan's.

Mr. J. F. Itackworth was in Lin-
coln this week buying goods.

Miss Ida McElrath expects to
leave for Waverly, O., next week
on a visit to relatives.

The work of dredging at the lock
and dam at this place was com-
pleted last week and the boat left
Saturday.

The colored church of this place
has begun the work of raising a
fund for buying a lot and building
a church.

Mrs. G. H. Vinson went to Cat-
lett's-bure Tuesday to see her grand-
mother Mrs. Jones, who is hope-
lessly ill.

Rev. L. O. Spencer and his moth-
er went to Huntington for a visit
last week, accompanied by Mrs. A.
J. Lear and children.

Dr. Wroten went to Peach Or-
chard Monday in response to a tel-
egram from Dr. Newton, the able
physician of the Peach Orchard
Company.

Mr. L. K. Price and family, of
West Virginia, are visiting rela-
tives in Louisville. Mrs. Price will be
pleasantly remembered as Miss
Ollie Burns, who visited in Louisa
a few years ago.

"Monte business only." This
about tells what was done by the
municipal magistrates last Tuesday
evening. The treasurer reported a
surplus, and he was ordered to
apply it to the further redemption
of the City's indebtedness.

After the spring house cleaning
you naturally want something new
for your walls. Go to Conley's
store and get one of those genuine
painted pictures at \$1.75. They re-
tail everywhere at \$2.50. They are
not printed, but executed by hand
and are of real worth.

Died, at her home on Little
Hill, last Sunday morning, De-
lila, the wife of Chas. Moore. Her
death was caused by consumption,
from which she had suffered for
several months. She was the only
daughter of Henry Elderman. She
was a worthy Christian woman,
the wife of one of our best citizens.
Sincere sympathy is extended to
him and his child.

The prospects for the farmers are
as bright as ever seen at this
season of the year. The unusually
"early spring" is especially ad-
vantageous for tobacco growers,
who will be able to get the crop in
early enough to insure thorough
ripening before the frosts of fall.
The late season last year was re-
sponsible for so much inferior qual-
ity.

Changes in Mail Route.
Upon the request of a sufficient
number of patrons along the mail
route between this place and Olla-
ville the carrier arrives at and de-
parts from this place on Monday,
Wednesday and Friday of each
week. The route also terminates
at Ollaville instead of Glenwood,
the demands between these two
places being so insignificant that
the expense was not justified. An
effort was also made to have the
route extended to Webbville, but
the department failed to see the ne-
cessity and refused.

Mrs. Jones Dead.
Mrs. Mary Jones died yesterday
at the home of her daughter, Mrs.
J. F. Medley, at Catlett's-bure. She
had been in poor health for a long
time, but her death was hastened
by the injuries received from a fall
a short time since. She was the
mother of J. W. Jones, Mrs. Dr.
Maynard and Mrs. J. F. Medley.
Also, Mrs. D. J. Burchett and Wm.
Jones, deceased. Mayor J. H.
O'Brien is her half brother. She
was 81 years old. The body was
brought up yesterday evening and
burial will probably take place this
afternoon.

Change in Trains.
With its usual nose for news the
News has sent a runner to
change of trains on this division of
the C. & O. We can not vouch for
the truth of the report, but we be-
lieve the change will be made.
When made the morning train from
Ashland will arrive about 8:30,
and the afternoon train will get in
about 5:30. The down trains
will also arrive somewhat earlier.
The change, if made, will occur
Sunday, May 19th. It is also said
that the trains will be scheduled to
run faster than ever before.

Sam Smith's Victim.
The killing of Lee Ward by deputy
marshal Sam D. Smith, occurred
at the Houston mines in
McDowell county. Ward, who is a
negro, was a moonshiner and was
wanted in Virginia, where he
had broken jail. There was a \$100
reward offered for him. The negro
was a desperate character and
Ward killed him in self-defense.
Ward attempted to shoot him but
failed.

Teachers' Institute.
The Lawrence county Teachers' In-
stitute will be held at Louisa during
the second week in August.
Prof. J. B. Willis, the same gentle-
man who has been in charge last year,
will teach this year. August the
12th is the date.

THE COLES AGAIN.

Magoffin County Gets Caught.

The family by the name of Cole,
who created such a sensation at
this place a few months ago on ac-
count of their strangely diseased
condition of mind, and who were
finally disposed of by being sent to
the asylum at Lexington, were re-
cently released from that institu-
tion and went to Magoffin county.
When discharged they were fat and
"hearty" and were pronounced to
be cured. While on the train the
boys took one of the old "spells"
of barking and howling. The
thoughts of the old life of hunger
and awkwardness to which they were
returning probably prompted the
"out." They "performed" well
enough to create a sunblinded fan-
ciful amongst the passengers who
were within reach.

After a few days spent in Magoffin
county they turned themselves
loose and soon succeeded in getting
taken before a court. The jury
gave a verdict of insanity and the
boys were started for Lexington
under guard apparently happy.

Heavy Storm.

This section was visited by a very
severe lightning and thunder storm
Sunday evening—the worst in sev-
eral years. The lightning struck
the attractive residence of L. M.
Atkins and did considerable dam-
age. Mrs. Atkins was in a room
directly under the point which was
struck, and was severely shocked.
The residence of M. H. Johns was
also struck. The current passed
down a chimney and tore the man-
sels loose in the upper and lower
rooms. Mrs. Johns was sleeping
in one of the rooms, but was not
hurt.

At the South Methodist Church a
juvenile missionary society was
carrying out an entertaining pro-
gram. Being a very warm even-
ing the windows were all open, and
when the vivid flash and the deaf-
ening report came apparently at
the same instant, the unusual force
of the storm was fully realized by
the congregation. Many children
began to scream and some of the
older people were much frightened.
A small-sized pane seemed immin-
ent for a time, but order was fi-
nally restored by the color boys
singing and passing the contribu-
tion basket.

Election of Trustees.

The law says trustees shall be of
good moral character, at least twenty-
one years of age, and able to
read and write. Does the law
mean what it says? Yes; all trust-
ees elected this year must have
these qualifications. None who
have them not will be allowed to
serve.

Immoral men; men unable to
read and write, and men who run
for the trustee's office simply be-
cause they have relatives or par-
ticular friends whom they wish to
get the schools should not be elect-
ed. Far different men from these
do we want and must have if our
schools are to be what they ought
to be—successful.

Good men; men of good morals;
men able to read and write; men
interested in education not from
selfish motives nor for hire; but
for the love of humanity; for the
love of country; for the cause of
education; for the blessings educa-
tion will bring to pupils under
their early protection, and direc-
tions, are the kind of men to elect.
H. S. BULLOCK, S. C. S.

Serious Accident.

Last Sunday about noon the five-
year-old boy of Harrison Currutt,
who lives on Nat's creek, three or
four miles from Peach Orchard,
was badly injured by the explosion
of a dynamite cap. The child was
holding the deadly thing in his
left hand and striking it with a
piece of iron, trying, so he said,
to make a sinker for his fishing line.
He had struck only a blow or two
when the cap exploded, the frag-
ments tearing the palm and fingers
of his left hand fearfully. That night
he was carried on a horse to Peach
Orchard, through a terrible storm,
when Dr. Newlin gave the child
surgical aid. It is possible that the
little fellow's hand may be saved,
but it is probable that one or more
fingers must be amputated. Blood-
poisoning and lock-jaw, one or both,
may ensue and thus greatly add to
the gravity of the case. After do-
ing their work on the boy's hand
the fragments of metal were thrown
into the little fellow's trousers, lacera-
ting his left thigh in a dozen or
more places.

This and similar casualties should
warn parents of the danger in such
a combination as a small boy,
a hammer and a dynamite cap.

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—the great, grating,
nauseating
In this enlightened
age you have Dr.
Fleming's Peppermint
Cure—better because
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easiest to take and
easiest to digest; bet-
ter because they do
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They have a tonic
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manently cure Consti-
pation, Biliousness,
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Bilious Headaches,
Nervousness, and every
derangement of the
liver, stomach, and bowels.

Order BOTTLES, Jars,
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SEPTEMBER 4th.
West Virginia Conference
Will Meet Here.

The above date has been fixed
for the annual meeting of the
West Virginia Conference of the
M. E. Church South, which will be
held at Louisa. Bishop Fitzgerald
will preside. He is a very able
and popular man and is widely
known through his writings.
It will soon be time for our peo-
ple to begin the preliminary ar-
rangements for entertaining the
conference. Louisa has a reputa-
tion for hospitality and this will
be a splendid opportunity to ex-
tend it. We know our people are
capable of entertaining the preach-
ers royally, and we hope they will
put forth their best efforts on this
occasion.

TO TEACHERS.
Examinations to be More Dif-
cult.

The State Board of Examiners
has issued a circular addressed to
applicants for certificates, notify-
ing them that the questions for
the coming examinations will be
more difficult than those of the
past. They also insist upon the
County Boards giving as close at-
tention to one branch as another
in the examination, not allowing
any to be slighted. They want all-
round teachers, and deprecate the
tendency amongst teachers to be-
come "arithmetical cranks," or
cranks on any particular branch.
More attention to Composition is
urged, and a special study is re-
commended to be made of such
works on the subject as Kellogg's or
Bennett's Composition, or Butler's
School English.

In concluding its circular the
Board says:

"The deep interest now being man-
ifested in the teacher's vocation,
and the increasing number of
scholarly and ambitious ladies and
gentlemen who are looking forward
to this work, are indicative of bet-
ter things for the common schools,
and encouraging to us who look
with much concern for evidence of
improvement. If you are striving
for this excellence, we are doing
you a service when we insist upon
a higher standard of thought and
attainment."

PEACH ORCHARD.

The mines are running about
half time, with fair prospects for a
full run in a few weeks. The gen-
eral office will be removed here,
from Chelmsford on the 10th inst.

Dr. West and family left Mon-
day for the Indian Territory where
Mr. West expects to engage in
mining.

Quite a crowd enjoyed a picnic
on the hills near old Peach Or-
chard, last Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Sweetnam and children
went to Louisa Wednesday.

"Granny" Johnston has about re-
covered from a severe attack of
fever.

A child of Harrison Currutt was
seriously injured Sunday by the
explosion of dynamite.

SUNSHINE.

Whatever may be the cause of
bleaching, the hair may be restored
to its original color by the use of
that potent remedy Hall's Vegeta-
ble Sclerian Hair Renewer.

Mass Convention.

The Democrats of Lawrence county
are hereby called to meet in
mass convention at the court house
in Louisa, on Saturday, June 1st,
1895, at one o'clock p. m., for the
purpose of selecting delegates to
the district convention to be held
at Winchester on June 7th to nomi-
nate candidates for Railroad Com-
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A. G. SNYDER, Sec.

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house to be 30x26 feet and 11 feet
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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Regina is the name of a new post-
office in Pike county.

Born, May 1st, to Mr. and Mrs.
Seth Hensley, of Bear creek, this
county, a son.

A man named Webb committed
suicide by shooting himself down
in Greenup county last week.

J. N. Howard has been appoint-
ed postmaster at Hickburg, Ma-
goffin county.

Huntington is to have a new
morning daily paper, the first is-
sue to appear the 20th inst.

Three men were struck by light-
ning near Ironton, Ohio, last week.
They were fishing. Thirt Woods
was killed instantly and the other
two are expected to recover.

"Bad Tom" Smith, in jail at
Jackson under sentence of death,
is rapidly declining and may not
live till the day set for the execu-
tion.

Mr. Taylor Vinson, whose illness
had for a long time been a source
of great anxiety to his many
friends, is now enjoying ordinary
health and is at his office in Hun-
tington.—C. C. Conner.

The Martin county Gazette is
getting into desperate straits. There
is one of its frantic appeals: Come
in and pay up your subscription
next week, for God's sake. If our
subscribers out of the county were
as slow as these in it, we'd starve
to death.

The date for examination of ap-
plicants for appointment to the
West Point cadetship for this con-
gressional district has been chang-
ed from June 5th to May 16th. It
will be held at Vancouber, the ex-
amination beginning at 10 a. m. on
the last-named date.

Huntington has another case of
smallpox. It is a negro who went
there recently from Covington, Ky.

The Kellogg Powder Mill com-
pany won in the suit brought
against them by the Land Devel-
opment company to compel them
to remove the mill from its present
site.

Correspondent of the Manufac-
turers' Record at Prestonsburg,
Ky., writes as follows:

"Prestonsburg is the nearest
town to the Kentucky oil develop-
ment, and is headquarters for the
oil operators. The wells are pro-
ducing ten to one hundred barrels
each per day. All are flowing wells
and not one is pumped. The oil is
of the same quality as the Pennsylv-
ania product. All the wells drilled
thus far are producers, and the
one coming in last week was no ex-
ception to the rule. Immediately
on completing that well another
was begun. This place is also the
center of an excellent coal region
and in a beautiful valley four miles
long, a portion of which was pur-
chased and owned by the late Pres-
ident Garfield, who as early as 1896
foretold that this would be a great
oil field."

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costiveness, indigestion, sluggish-
ness of the liver, jaundice, and sick
headache; also, to relieve colds,
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WANTED:—To buy 25 calves.
The poorer the more desirable. Ap-
ply to Henry Elderman, at Elmore
farm, near Louisa.

Card of Thanks

Mr. Editor: Please allow me
space in your paper to thank the
good people of this city for their
liberal donation for the benefit of
purchasing a lot to build an A.
M. E. Church in this place. We
ask everybody to help us. We only
owe on our lot \$11.00. May that
bless you that have given or those
who may give. Blessed is the
cheerful giver.

Yours for the cause of Jesus and
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G. F. DAVID, Pastor.
[Lack of space crowded out the
list of contributors.—Ed.]

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